binder generation means for generating plural binders based the job generated by said job generation means;

document generation means for generating plural documents based on the binder generated by said binder generation means;

determination means for determining a device to be used, among plural device provided in said image forming apparatus, based on the process information received by said reception means; and

assignment means for assigning the document generated by said document generation means to the device determined by said determination means.

17. (Amended) An apparatus according to claim 16, further comprising:

page generation means for generating plural pages based on the document generated by said document generation means;

wherein said assignment means assigns the page generated by said page generation means to the device determined by said determination means.

18. (Amended) An apparatus according to claim 17, further comprising:

band generation means for generating plural bands based on the page generated by said page generation means;

wherein said assignment means assigns the band generated by said band generation means to the device determined by said determination means.

19. (Amended) A control method for an image forming apparatus capable of communicating with an information processing apparatus, the method comprising:

a reception step of receiving process information from said information processing apparatus;

a job generation step of generating a job based on the process information received by said reception step;

a binder generation step of generating plural binders based the job generated by said job generation step;

a document generation step of generating plural documents based on the binder generated by said binder generation step;

a determination step of determining a device to be used, among plural device provided in said image forming apparatus, based on the process information received by said reception step; and

an assignment step of assigning the document generated by said document generation step to the device determined by said determination step.

20. (Amended) A computer program to be executed by a computer of an image forming apparatus capable of

communicating with an information processing apparatus, the program comprising:

a reception step of receiving process information from said information processing apparatus;

a job generation step of generating a job based on the process information received by said reception step;

a binder generation step of generating plural binders based the job generated by said job generation step;

a document generation step of generating plural documents based on the binder generated by said binder generation step;

a determination step of determining a device to be used, among plural device provided in said image forming apparatus, based on the process information received by said reception step; and

an assignment step of assigning the document generated by said document generation step to the device determined by said determination step.

21. (Amended) A computer readable memory medium storing the computer program according to claim 20.

22. (Amended) An image forming apparatus capable of communicating with an information processing apparatus, comprising:

reception means for receiving process information from said information processing apparatus;

job generation means for generating a job based on the process information received by said reception means;

generation means for generating process units of a hierarchic structure based on the job generated by said job generation means;

determination means for determining a device to be used, among plural device provided in said image forming apparatus, based on the process information received by said reception means; and

assignment means for assigning the process unit generated by said generation means to the device determined by said determination means.

23. (Amended) An image forming apparatus capable of communicating with an information processing apparatus, comprising:

reception means for receiving process information from said information processing apparatus;

job generation means for generating a job based on the process information received by said reception means;

generation means for generating an instance of a hierarchic structure based on the job generated by said job generation means;